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Yoshiki Nakagawa, et al.

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For: POLYMER, PROCESSES FOR PRODUCING
POLYMER AND COMPOSITION

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 10, 2002 (Paper No. 7), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

In the Claims

Please amend the claims as follows:

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10. (Amended) The polymer according to claim 1,
which is obtained by carrying out the hydrosilylation reaction of a vinyl polymer having an alkenyl group at one or more one termini thereof with a silicon compound having both a silicon atom-bound hydrolyzable group and a hydrosilyl group
and then converting said hydrolyzable group to a silanol group by hydrolysis.

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16. (Amended) The curable composition according to claim 12
which further comprises a polymer,
said polymer having a silicon atom-bound hydrolyzable group (s) and no silanol group.

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